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PART IV.

PUBLIC ADVERTISEMENTS.

GENERAL AND REVENUE SECRETARIAT.

No. G. 11601—*G. M.* 74-16-1, *dated 24th February* 1917.

A competitive examination for the selection of candidates for *three* clerkships of the Second Division (Rs. 25—2—65), in the General and Revenue Secretariat will be held in the Public Offices, Bangalore, on Monday the 26th March 1917 and the following day.

2. The applicant should be :—

(*a*) at least a Matriculate, or a Secondary School-Leaving Certificate holder,
(*b*) able to read Kannada manuscripts, fluently,
(*c*) possessed of good moral character, and
(*d*) (if not already in Government Service) not less than 18 and not more than 25 years old.

3. The subjects for the examination and the marks assigned to each subject shall be as follows :—

(*a*) English Composition			100
(*b*) Precis-Writing			50
(*c*) Translation :—			
(i) English into Kannada	50		
(ii) Kannada into English	50		100
(*d*) Handwriting			50
Total ...			300

4. The examination will be conducted on the days and during the hours prescribed below :—

Monday—English Composition	11 A.M. to 2 P.M.
(26th March 1917) Precis-Writing ...	3 to 5 P.M.
Tuesday—Translation	11 A.M. to 2 P.M.
(27th March 1917) Handwriting... ...	3 to 4 P.M.

5. To qualify for a pass, every candidate must obtain 33⅓ per cent of the marks in every subject and 40 per cent on the whole.

6. Every candidate should send a written application, in the prescribed form, to the Secretary to Government, General Department, accompanied by a Treasury Receipt for

rupees five. It must reach the Secretary before the 16th March 1917, with certificates to the following effect :—

(*a*) that on the date of his application he is not less than 18 and not more than 25 years of age, or, if already in Government service, that he is not more than 30 years of age,

(*b*) that he possesses a good moral character,

(*c*) that he has passed the examination prescribed for admission to the examination (paragraph 2 above), and (*d*) that he is fit for public service.

7. Certificates (*a*) and (*d*) shall be those granted by a District Medical Officer or a Medical Officer of and above the grade of an Assistant Surgeon ; certificate (*b*) must be one granted by the Principal of the College or School in which the candidate was last educated, or from a Mysore Officer of or above the rank of an Assistant Commissioner ; certificate (*c*) shall be that granted by the University or other examining body.

8. The fee will be returned if the candidate's certificates are not satisfactory. No refund of the fee will be made under any other circumstances.

9. The form of the application shall be as follows :—

Application for admission into the Secretariat Clerical Service Examination.

Name in full	Father's name	Address	Age	Description of enclosures produced			Remarks
				Certificate of qualification	Certificates of age and physical fitness	Receipt for fee paid	
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)

Signature of the candidate.

10. The names of the successful candidates who are within the number required will be duly notified.

11. The selected candidates will be appointed on probation for one year and their confirmation will depend on their success in the Confirmation Examination in the Office Manual and Procedure which will be held thereafter.

By Order,
D. M. NARASINGA RAO,
Secretary to Government,
General Department.

NATIONAL RELIEF FUND.

The Government of India have received from the India Office, the following letter from the Treasurer to His Royal Highness the Prince of Wales, acknowledging certain contributions received from India for the benefit of the National Relief Fund.

The Under Secretary of State for India,
Accountant General's Department.
India Office, London, S.W.

BUCKINGHAM PALACE,
3*rd November* 1916.

A. G. 44085.

DEAR SIR,

I am directed by the Prince of Wales to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 30th ultimo, enclosing cheque for £20-3-8, being further contributions received from India for the benefit of the National Relief Fund.

His Royal Highness is most grateful for this kind help. Will you be so good as to convey to all the contributors, how warmly the Prince of Wales appreciates their continued generosity and loyalty, in supporting the Fund.